

No. 008	號六零百九千九第	日一十二月九年五十緒光	HONGKONG, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15th, 1889.	二拜禮	號五十月十英港香	PRICE \$2½ PER MONTH.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BY the kind courtesy of the 'Gazette' and

BAND OFFICERS OF THE ARMY AND NAVY
AND **HIGHLANDERS** the **BAND** will play
at the **LADIES' RECREATION CLUB** on
WEDNESDAY, 19th Inst. and WEDNES-
DAY, 23rd Inst. at 12.30 and 7.30
at **Hongkong, 15th October, 1893.** 2153

WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL
OFFICE ASSISTANT for a Firm
at **Yokohama.**
Address **P. O. Box. No. 315, Yokohama**
stating previous experience, and Salary required.
Yokohama, 5th October, 1893. 1246

HOYONG KONG FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED
ADJUSTMENT OF LOSS FOR THE
YEAR 1893.

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Com-
pany are requested to furnish the under-
signed with a List of their Contributions for the year
ending 31st December last, in order that the
Distribution of the Profits reserved for Contri-
butors may be arranged. Returns not ren-
dered prior to the 15th day of November
next, will be adjusted by the Company, and no
Claims or Alterations will be subsequently
admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.
Hongkong, 15th October, 1893. 2153

PLANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Have received their First Shipment of
GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTING GOODS
for the

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UNDERSHIRTS, PANTS, SOCKS,
JERSEYS, ROWING, FOOTBALL, and POLO
SINGLET'S,
New Oxford and French PRINT SHIRT
ING'S.
New Colours CLOTHS for SHIRTS and
PJJAMAS
The Latest COLLAR'S, SCARVES, and
CRAVATS.
NEW FUR HATS.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co
Houk-king, 15th October, 1889. 12
TO LET.
N^o. 3, WEST TERRACE. (Immediate
Entry).
Apply to

ngkong, 15th October, 1889. [2153]

TO LET.
 With Immediate Possession
 THE TOP FLOOR OF HOUSE No. 3,
 BUREAU BUILDINGS.
 Apply to
 HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO.
 Hongkong, 15th October, 1898. [2156]
 TO LET.
 (FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED).
 WELBURN (Peak). Possession from
 late of last November. Call on
 Apply to
 THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-
 MENT & AGENCY & L.
 Hongkong, 15th October, 1898. [2157]
 HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.
 THE KWONG KWAN YEN
 CHALLENGE CUPS.
 The Third Competition for the 1st Stage
 will take place on SATURDAY, the 9th
 inst., at 4.15 p.m.:—
 The Entrance Fee for this Stage only, is
 10 cents, or for the Two Stages, i.e. 20 cents.
 The Prize for the Winner of the 1st Stage, is
 100 cents, and for the Winner of the 2nd Stage, is
 50 cents.

off on Saturday, 26th instant.
A. SHELTON HOOPER

Hongkong, 15th October, 1893. 189

Honorary Secretary,
Care of Hongkong Club.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI
THE P & O S. N. Co's Steamship

"MALWA"
will leave for the above place at 3 P.M. TO-
DAY, the 15th inst.

Hongkong, 14th October, 1893. 1

"BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.
H. British Steamer

"BENLARIG."
Captain Freeman will be despatched as above
TO-MORROW, the 16th inst. at TWO P.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 15th October, 1893. 1215

SANDAKAN, KUDAT, LABUAN.

AND SINGAPORE
The Company's Steamship

"MEMNON."
Captain Dorr, will be despatched as above
on SATURDAY, the 19th inst.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, 14th October 1889. 2150

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,
LIMITED.

FOR TIENTSIN
The Company's Steamship

"SUNGKIANG."
Captain Glazson, will be despatched as above
on THURSDAY, the 24th instant.
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, 14th October, 1889. 2151

FOR NEW YORK.
THE S/S L. I. American Ship

in James E. Butman, will load here for the Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to: **SIEMSEN & Co.**
HONGKONG, 10th October, 1888. 21152

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY.
LIMITED.
6 PER CENT. DEBENTURES.
NOTICE.

INTEREST on the above Debentures
for the Six Months ending 19th inst.
being DUE on that date, Holders are requested
to deposit their Debentures at the Office of the
Company, 10th October, 1888, between 10 o'clock, for
inspection on the 17th and/or 18th inst., be-
tween the hours of 10 A.M. and Noon, and to
endorse same and receive payment of interest
on the 19th inst., also between the hours
of 10 A.M. and Noon.

By Order,
R. Y. YALL, Secy.
Secretary, Hongkong Hotel Co., Ltd.
Hongkong, 10th October, 1888. 18143

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE CANADIAN MAILS.

The C. P. steamer *Port Fairy*, with Canadian mail of the 21st ultimo, to Yokohama, or the 8th, and is due here on about the 18th inst.

The C. P. steamer *Albatross*, with the Canadian mail of the 14th October, left Vancouver at that date, and is due here on or about the 23rd November.

THE AMERICAN MAILS.

The P. M. steamer *City of Rio de Janeiro*, with the American mail of the 19th ult, to Yokohama, or the 12th, and may be expected here on the 15th inst.

The O.K. steamer *Gaelic*, with the American mail of the 3rd inst, left San Francisco at that date, and is due here on or about the 30th instant.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The F. & O. Extra steamer *Brindisi* is to Singapore at 9 a.m. on the 14th, and is due here on the 20th inst.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Strathmore* left Singapore on the 18th, and is due here on the 19th inst.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

POSTAL NOTIFICATIONS.

Letters, Parcels, &c. for Kowloon Post Office and steamers in Harbour may be posted at the General Post Office from 9 to 11.30 a.m. Letters from Kowloon Point may be placed in the Letter Box which has been placed in the Police Station Compound up to 12 and 6 o'clock.

Post office rates will be charged.

To avoid theft—owners of letters from Kowloon are requested to enclose their stamps by writing the word *stamped* across them.

Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery, &c. should be registered.

There will be no Sunday delivery.

Peak delivery. Letter boxes have been placed in the train cars and correspondence will be delivered by the twelve and four o'clock cars only. Local rates will be charged. Correspondence for the Peak may be placed in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m., or in the Letter Boxes in the cars till time of departure. Correspondence from the Peak may be posted in the Letter Boxes up to 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. There will be no Sunday delivery. Covers containing bank notes, jewellery, &c. should be registered. To avoid robbery senders of letters are requested to cancel their stamp by writing the word 'stamped' across them.

When covers of which are liable to be lost or damaged (both of which are liable to happen occasionally) all that the addressee need do is to note on the cover, *Sent to* or *Received at* 7 p.m., or as the case may be, and forward to the Post Office, London for the Post to the Postmaster-General. (This should be acted at the first time cause of complaint occurs; it is mistake to let such matters pass for fear of giving trouble, &c. which generally give more trouble in the end.)

A MAIL WILL CLOSE.

For Singapore—Per Niche, to-day, the 15th inst. at 2.00 p.m.

For Shanghai—Per Malina, to-day, the 15th inst. at 2.00 p.m.

For Straits and Calcutta—Per Hwang, to-morrow, the 15th inst., at 2.30 p.m.

For Straits, Calcutta, and Bombay—Per Khatra, on Saturday, the 19th inst. at 11.30 a.m.

For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama—Per Ancona, on Thursday, the 24th inst. at 5.00 p.m.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.

The French Contract Packet *Catolone* will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 16th October, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Borneo, Ceylon, the Australian Colonies, Aden, Natal, and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Covers containing Bank Notes, Coin, or Jewellery, and where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such covers.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.

The British Contract Packet *Exmouth* will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 17th October, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, viz. *Brindisi*; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Borneo, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and the Mails, &c.

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Bank Notes, Coin, or Jewellery, and where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such letters.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET.

The German Contract Packet *Necher* will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 26th inst, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, viz. *Brindisi*; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Borneo, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c.

Registration closes at 4 p.m.

The mail closes at 5 p.m.

The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Covers containing Bank Notes, Coin, or Jewellery, and where Registration has been neglected, will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such covers.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.

When the *Packet* leaves at Noon.

The following hours will be observed in closing the mails for the English and the French French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 p.m. the day before.

6.00 a.m.—Posting of Priors Current and Circulars.

7.00 a.m.—Posting of newspapers, books, and patterns closed.

10.00 a.m.—Registration closes.

10.30 a.m.—Posting of newspapers, books, and patterns closed.

11.00 a.m.—Mail closes.

LATE LETTERS may be posted (from the 11.00 a.m.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 a.m. after which no letters may be sent on board the same late fee.

POSTAL NOTES.

1.—Postal Notes issued below are payable within three months at any Post Office in the United Kingdom, or at Constantinople, Hongkong, or at any British Post Office in China (except Hallow and Tientsin). The following prices, which include Commission—

1/6	33 cents.
1/8	50 "
1/4	100 "
1/2	185 "
1	360 "
20	\$8.60

All money orders on the United Kingdom for less than 10 shillings will be issued by means of these Notes.

2.—The purchase of any Postal Note must be in full in the Payee's name before paring with it. He may also call in the name of the Post Office in China (except Hallow and Tientsin) anywhere in the United Kingdom, or at Constantinople. Any Postal Note may be cashed at the Post Office in Hongkong or China.

3.—Postal Notes should always be forwarded in Registered Covers. (If this precaution is not taken no responsibility will be made for loss of the lost alleged loss of any Note.)

4.—Postal Notes issued in the United Kingdom are not payable in Hongkong, or China.

